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Eleven Killed In Riots At Detroit

Twenty-four-hour Negro–White Clash In America's Automobile-City

MARTIAL LAW DECLARED: 700 INJURED

NEW YORK, June 22.

The radio said that Governor of Michigan has proclaimed Martial Law in Detroit, where eleven men have been killed and over 500 injured during the last twenty-four hours in racial riots.

NEGRO-WHITE CLASH

DETROIT (Michigan), June 22

Martial Law has been proclaimed in Detroit, following a racial riot which up to Monday night has caused the death of 23 persons and the injury of more than 700 here. The authorities are conducting a full investigation.

Fighting continues to flare up intermittently but every effort is being made by the State police and State troops to preserve order. In some instances tear-gas has been used to quell disturbances.

ORIGIN OF TROUBLE

The outbreaks spread from an altercation at Belle Idle Bridge late last night. Government troops entered Detroit at the State Governor's request after the civil authorities had admitted that the situation was "out of control."

NEGRO LEADERS' S.O.S.

Meanwhile in Chicago, National Negro leaders have asked President Roosevelt to make an immediate radio appeal to halt the racial strife. They recommend that the Governors of all States should appoint inter-racial committees to investigate such disorders. The United States War Secretary Mr. Henry L. Stimson, acting on President Roosevelt's orders, has called out the troops to quell rioting in Detroit, the Americans' big engineering centre. The War Department announced to-day that Mr. Stimson had directed the Commander of the Sixth Service Command to use his troops "to suppress rioting in Detroit."

ROOSEVELT'S CALL

President Roosevelt's proclamation was published in Detroit around midnight and called on the rioters "to cease their unlawful activities and disperse to their homes."

Brig.-Gen. William Gunther has been placed in charge of the troops in Detroit area.

Early this morning, Mayor of Detroit Mr. Edward Jeffries, announced that the situation had much improved. Quiet has settled down over the streets, which were the scenes of strife for nearly 24 hours.

Most of the dead are Negroes many of whom were killed resisting the police.

Rioting began around midnight on Sunday, when a Negro and a white man got into a fight on the way home from an amusement park. The fight seemed to excite the crowd and within a few hours bands of Negroes and whites were roaming the streets looking for trouble.—Reuter.

'ORGANISED NATIONAL FIFTH COLUMN'

DETROIT, June 22.

The number of arrested in the riots here now totals 1,300. The Mayor has blamed the riots on what he calls "an organised national fifth column conspiracy to break our national unity and disrupt the home production front."
—Reuter.

'No Military Rule For India': All Br. Pledges Stand

Wavell Says He Doffs Uniform "To Better Serve Our Cause And India As A Civilian"

LONDON, June 22.

Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell to-day made his first public statement on India since his appointment as Viceroy-designate to a group of British and Empire journalists at the India Office.

CHURCHILL FINDS HIS PROTOTYPE

The Secretary of State for India, Mr. L. S. Amery, said that no one would deny that Field Marshal Wavell's appointment, which was imaginative in character, had been well received. Mr. Churchill and his colleagues had been most anxious to secure for India the very best man and to find one who, like the Prime Minister himself, could guide a great country in the throes of a world war with profound understanding not only on the problems of strategy and military organisation but of peace and civil administration. Mr. Amery spoke of Field Marshal Wavell's human sympathy in dealing with the political problems which, war or no war, still occupied the mind of India and would increasingly call for a settlement as time went on.

Field Marshal Wavell, who was in mufti, said: "You will naturally not expect me to make a detailed statement on policy or to talk about future plans. I can only say that I am a sincere friend of India and am whole-heartedly in sympathy with her aspirations to political development and a firm believer in her future. I owe to India five of the best years of my life as a young officer and two of the fullest and most interesting years as her Commander-in-Chief. I will do my best to repay that debt by further service to India. It is obvious that India's progress must depend on the successful prosecution of the War and that complete fulfilment of her aspirations requires the removal of the Japanese menace. India is a vital supply base for strategy of the United Nations in the East and the more fully and rapidly India can develop and extend the great War effort she is already making and the sooner will the shadow of War pass from her, the earlier can she achieve her aim of full self-Government.

This does not mean that I go to India as a soldier or that there can be no political progress before the end of the war.

I have put off my uniform—with what regret, you may imagine—AND ENDED MY MILITARY CAREER in the hope that I can better serve our cause and India as a civilian. There is certainly no intention to set up anything in the shape of a military rule or to withdraw or weaken in any way the pledges and offers already made to India by His Majesty's Government.".

'OPEN MIND'

Field Marshal Wavell continued: "It will naturally occur to you that it is not so easy to put off the military habit of mind by a single change of garb. But it is a mistake to think that a soldier's mind is always occupied with military affairs. I have had some experience in other countries with the machinery of Government and with political development and as a member of the Viceroy's Council in the last two years have at least gained some knowledge of India's problems and administration. I am very well aware of how little I know of this vast country and in the weeks before my departure, I shall apply myself to studying the situation, seeking advice and, I hope, preserving an open mind.

"So much attention has been focussed on the problem of India's political development that I think there are many who do not realise how much has been done and remains to be done in India's social and economic progress. That is, of course, mainly the work for Indians themselves, but I hope that sympathy on my part for such progress may assist in furthering it. Up to the present I have naturally seen more of India's soldiers than of other classes in India. I shall soon be sending a message to all ranks of the Defence Forces on laying down the office of the Commander-in-Chief.

TRIBUTE TO INDIAN FORCES

"I should like to take this opportunity of again paying a tribute to the valor and loyalty of the Indian forces in this war. It is to the troops from India that I am largely indebted for such military successes as I have been able to win and I shall always have a very warm spot in my heart for India's fighting men. So I know has my wife who has done much work for soldiers' welfare in India. When I go back to India I shall return to some old friends and shall hope to make some new ones.

DIFFICULTIES AHEAD

"I am under no illusion as to the difficulties ahead but I have confidence in India's future and hope that men of wisdom and goodwill may be found to help her to the position in the world to which her history, size of her population, her importance and her traditions of industry and kindliness entitle her".

Field Marshal Wavell said he was very conscious of the great honour done to him by the King Emperor and the Government and also of the heavy and grave responsibility that lay on him at this crisis of India's history. He had, he said, always been grateful to the Press for the good will they had shown him during this war and for the way they had respected the confidence he had given them when speaking informally and "off the record". He was grateful of the goodwill shown in the reception of this "unexpected appointment". And he fully realised the extent to which the press could assist him in carrying out his new heavy responsibilities.—Reuter.

LATEST COMMERCIAL

COTTON (October).

NEW YORK, June 22.

Previous Closing	19.87
To-day's Opening	19.84
Difference	—.03
To-day's closing	19.86
Difference	—.01

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE
NEW YORK, June 22.

New York Stock Exchange opening prices:—
General Motors $53-3/4.
Anaconda Copper Mining $26-7/8.
United States Steel Common $54-1/4.
United States Steel preference unquoted.

Calcutta Stock Exchange

CALCUTTA, June 22.

The market continued steady and active. The principal and speculative issues continued firm and the volume of business put through was large. Government securities were unchanged. Following are closing quotations:—

Government Securities:—Three per cent Government paper 81/2 sl; three per cent Defence Loan 1949/52 100/8, sol: three per cent loan 1961/65 95/11; sl three-half per cent Government paper 94/2.

Banks: Imperial Bank fully paid 1825; Reserve Bank 118/8.

Cottons: Benares cotton 13/13; Cawnpore Textiles 14/4; Elgin Mills 75/4, New Victoria 10/1.

Coals: Burrakur 16/14; Bengal 477; Bokaro and Ramgur 20/8; Penchvalley 41/8; Talcher 4/4 C. T.

Jutes: Angio-India 418; Barnagore 164; Champdany 224; Nuddea 104/8; Presidency 7/8 C T.

Miscellaneous: Burma Corpn. 3/1; Indian Copper 2/11; Dalmia Cement 18/10; Burn and Co. 396/8; Indian Iron and Steel 35/13; Jessop and Co. Ordy. 22/5; Steel Corpn. Ordy. 27/6; Calcutta Trams Ordy. 27-14; Indian National Airways Ordy 16/12; so. 1 National Insulated Cable 16/14 C. T.; British Burma Petroleum 2/11; India Paper Pulp 195; sl; Shree Gopal paper 23/10; Ex div. Orient paper Pref. 116; Midnapore Zemindary 97 C. T.

Sugar Shares: Carew and Co. 18/13; Ramnugger Cane 10/8;; U. P. Sugar 23/6 C. T.

Tea Shares: Bishnauth 38/6; Central Cachar 109/8; Hantapara 780; c div. Kanimara 69/4; Sapoi 20/2; Tezpore [illegible]

Toll Of Ada Bazar 'Quake

ISTANBUL, June 22.

So far 1,304 dead have been counted among the victims of the earthquake which rocked Ada Bazar in Turkey, about 130 miles from Istanbul, on Sunday, it was learned here to-day. Many bodies have still to be recovered from the wreckage.

HEAP OF RUINS.

LONDON: The German radio said to-day that the town of Ada Bazar about 60 miles eastward of Istanbul was wrecked by an earthquake on Sunday night looks as if "large squadrons of bombers had pounded it." The radio cited eye-witnesses as declaring that on Sunday evening a heavy thunderstorm accompanied by a cloudburst struck the city. Suddenly there was a deep rumbling which was first assumed to be thunder. Houses were seen to crumble. Within a few seconds the main street with all the bazaars was a heap of ruins. Not a single house remained standing. The first Red Crescent relief train has returned to Istanbul from the stricken area.—Reuter.

REOPEN BURMA ROAD FIRST

LONDON, June 22.

Captain Cyril Falls, the military correspondent of the "Times" told a Royal Empire Society meeting in London today that in the Pacific war, the Burma Road must be reopened first.

JAPS. AND INDIA.

He said that he did not expect a successful Japanese invasion of India but a bombing offensive against Calcutta was perhaps a greater danger, if the Japanese could build up the necessary organisation. Japan was building aircraft and ships.—Reuter.

Mr. Naoroji Dumasia who died on Tuesday.

(For biographical sketch see page 2)

HALF GOODS-TRAIN LEFT ON LINE

Prosecution Charge In Calcutta Mail Mishap Case

AKOLA, June 22.

Mr. N. D. Kaccar, Railway Sub-Inspector, Murtazapur, filed the charge-sheet in the Court of the Railway Magistrate, Mr. N. G. Gupta, against the four accused viz T. M. Dave, assistant station master, Akola, M. A. Jalil, signaller, Akola, K. L. Patankar, guard of the goods train, Bhusaval, and A. M. Gotting, driver of the mail train Bhusaval, under Secs. 101 and 123 of the Railway Act, for endangering the safety of persons by an unlawful act and wilful neglect.

The prosecution case is that in the early hours of June 4, one goods train with 54 wagons and accused Patankar as guard passed Akola, but when it reached mile no. 372 near Borgaon, its engine failed to pull the full load due to gradient and actually halted. So the train was divided and the driver started with 39 wagons to Borgaon, which was the next station, leaving behind the remaining wagons on the track.

The guard remained behind with the obstruction on the track but is alleged to have failed to take necessary precautions required by the rules.

In the meanwhile, the No. 1 Down, Calcutta Mail following and collided with the portion of the goods train on the track with the result that the Mail engine, two third-class bogeys, one inter class bogey, one dining-car and four goods vehicles and one brake-van were completely damaged and 76 lives were lost and 163 persons were injured.

Mr. Dave, accused assistant station master, is alleged to have wilfully neglected to act according to rules. The signaller, Jalil, is alleged to have operated the mechanism, and with wilful neglect, and without authority to do so gave the line clear signal to the Mail to start. The Mail driver, Gotting, is alleged to have run the Mail without proper lights and proper vigilance and acted with wilful neglect.

Forty-one witnesses are cited by the prosecution. All accused are on bail. The case is fixed for hearing from July 12 onwards. Advocate Tambe appears for the prosecution.—United Press.

of thought that a meeting of the All-India Congress Committee and of all Congressmen who are still out of prison should be convened to review the present political situation in the light of recent developments.

Should the move materialise, the sponsors intend to pass a resolution to the effect that though the August resolution was passed due to Gandhiji's arrest no movement was started by the Congress and as such the Congress can't be held responsible for what has been done in the name of Congress. However, as realists they can't blink at what has happened since August last (sabotage, etc.) and hence pending the release of Congress Leaders they would suspend the movement if any being still carried on in the name of Congress, in any part of the country.—"Hindustan Standard."

RELEASE OF MAHATMA & CONGRESS CABINET MEMBERS

Resolution Before Central Assembly

NEW DELHI: Resolutions sent in for the Central Assembly session ask, among other things, for trial or release of Mahatma Gandhi and members of the Congress Working Committee, recall of Indian High Commissioner in South Africa, preparation of a scheme for post-war social security in India on the lines of the Beveridge Plan, and the appointment of non-officials as Parliamentary Secretaries to discharge departmental parliamentary duties in the legislature.

Mr. Ram Rattan Gupta sponsors the resolutions urging the release of trial of Congress leaders and the recall of the High Commissioner in South Africa.

Mr. Nabi Baksh Illahi Baksh Bhutto has a resolution recommending that a Joint Committee composed of 14 members of the Legislative Assembly and the Council of State, with a majority of non-officials elected by both the Houses, be set up immediately to prepare a scheme for post-war social security in India on the lines of the Beveridge Plan.

Steps to increase the strength of the Indian army and maintain its efficiency are urged by Mr. Govind V. Deshmukh, including increment in pay of the Indian soldiers and naiks by 25 per cent, production in postal charges for letters to and from the Middle-East and repatriation of officers serving overseas for more than three years.

Mrs. Renuka Ray has a resolution urging the reconstitution of the Rau Committee to revise and codify the rest of the Hindu Law.—A. P.

WAVELL MAY SPRING SURPRISE

(From A Special Correspondent)

LONDON, June 22.

Closely following the announcement of Sir Archibald Wavell as Viceroy of India, London political circles are busy in speculation about the future of India during his regime.

According to information available from these circles it is stated Sir Archibald's first job on assuming Viceroyalty will be to devise ways and means to end the political deadlock. This means that the British Government will back him up in any political decisions he may take on the spot.

Though no authoritative information in this connection is yet available, well-informed political circles are confident that Sir Archibald will give some pleasant surprises to Indian nationalists and strive hard in exploring avenues for the constitution of a National Government in India.

ENDING DEADLOCK

Congressmen To Meet?

LUCKNOW, June 17: I most reliably understand that a move has been sponsored by a group of Congressmen belonging to Rajaji's school

Queen Receives Churchill

LONDON, June 22.

The Prime Minister Mr. Churchill was received in audience by the Queen at Buckingham Palace to-day and remained to lunch with Her Majesty.

This audience of the Queen has taken the place of the Prime Minister's usual weekly audience with the King in His Majesty's absence in the Middle East.

The Deputy Prime Minister Mr. Clement Attlee declined to state what information the British Government had received suggesting that the Axis powers may use gas. He said it would not be in public interest to give such information, adding that the policy of the Government had already been made clear.

HOME ON LEAVE

Confirmation that officers and soldiers who have served overseas for at least six continuous years are being brought back to the United Kingdom was given in the Commons today by the Financial Secretary of the War Office, Mr. Henderson. The six months' leave at home is disregarded in assessing continuous service, he added.

BR. PRISONERS LOST IN TRANSIT

Nothing has been heard since October of British prisoners removed from Benghazi prior to the Eighth Army's advance. The Financial Secretary of the War Office Mr. Henderson informed the House of Commons that it was feared that a transport with a number of these prisoners aboard was sunk. The Italian Government had been informed that unless radical improvements were made immediately in one camp where conditions were bad, the British Government must insist on the closure of this camp.

PARLIAMENT REASSEMBLES

WESTMINSTER: Both the Houses of Parliament reassembled to-day following the Whitsun recess.—Reuter.

Australian Speaker And Chairman Of Committees Resign

SYDNEY, June 22.

The Speaker of the Commonwealth Parliament, Mr. Walter Nairn, and Chairman of Committees, Mr. John Henry Prowse resigned on Monday.

Their action was the latest development in the Australian parliamentary crisis over the motion of no confidence in the Government moved by the leader of opposition Mr. A. W. Fadden.

De Valera's Future

DUBLIN, June 21: Mr. Eamon de Valera's future hangs on nine seats in Tuesday's Eire general election. If his present strength of 77 seats, in a House of 135 seats, is reduced by nine or more, he will be in a minority after 11 years of power.

BUS STRIKE IN CALCUTTA

CALCUTTA, June 22.

The strike of drivers and conductors of buses in the city and suburbs, which commenced yesterday, is continuing.

JINNAH GETS FEVER AGAIN

KARACHI, June 22.

Mr. M. A. Jinnah, President of the All-India Muslim League, again had slight fever today and was unable to attend an "At Home" given in his honour by the Sind Madrassah Board.—A. P.

Punjab Women Demand Release Of Congress Leaders

LAHORE, June 22.

A resolution demanding the release of Mahatmaa Gandhi and other Congress leaders in order to start negotiations with a view to ending the present deadlock was adopted by the Punjab Women's Conference held here.

Mrs. Rameshwari Nehru who presided.

The Conference fully supported the Hindu Intestate Succession Bill.—A.P.

Sind Governor For Delhi

KARACHI, June 22.

It is understood that H.E. the Governor of Sind Sir Hugh Dow accompanied by Lady Dow will pay a short visit to Delhi shortly. His Excellency is expected to leave Karachi towards the end of first week in July.—A.P.

STOP PRESS

U.S. COAL TALKS

WASHINGTON: June 22: Mr. Harold Ickes, Secretary to the Interior and Mr. John L. Lewis, President of the United Mine-workers, resumed talks this morning.—Reuter.

SOLUTION REACHED IN FRENCH POLITICAL TANGLE

ALGIERS, June 22

A solution has been reached in the French political tangle. The Algiers radio stated to-night that the French Committee of National Liberation met this afternoon under the chairmanship of Gen. Giraud. The meeting ended before 18 hours.—Reuter.

CANBERRA: The Australian Prime Minister Mr. John Curtin announced in the House of Representatives that Australia's air strength is to be increased by 60 per cent.—Reuter.

Allies Intensify Air-War On Axis

R. A. F. MAKES 700-BOMBER RAID ON KREFELD: U. S. AIRFORCE ATTACKS TARGETS IN RUHR AND BELGIUM

Italian Cities Get Heavy Battering

BERLIN, June 22.

"Heavy damage was inflicted on Krefeld by "a strong squadron of British bombers" reports to-day's German communique.

LONDON: Seven hundred bombers were engaged in last night's raid operations. Forty-four bombers are missing.

A large force of the U.S. Eighth Air Force heavy bombers attacked targets in the Ruhr and Belgium this morning. U.S.A.A.F., R.A.F., Dominion and Allied fighter-squadrons supported the operations.

TWENTY-SECOND RAID ON KREFELD

An Air Ministry 'communique' states: "Last night our bombers in great strength attacked the industrial city of Krefeld. At the beginning of the attack there was some cloud which cleared later. Preliminary reports indicate that the attack was very heavy and concentrated.

Fighters on intruders patrols over France and Belgium attacked railway targets and enemy airfield at Poix. One enemy aircraft was destroyed. Forty-four bombers and one fighter are missing."

Krefeld is 10 miles westward of the Ruhr with a population of 160,000. Its industries are special steels, including crank shafts and steel armoured plate for aircraft; it also has coal mines and important chemical works including sulphur works making sulphuric acid as well as textile works making parachutes. It is also an important railway centre for traffic from the Ruhr to the west.

The raid on Krefeld was twenty-second. This city was last visited on October 2, when six acres of central area was wrecked by a single 4,000-pound bomb.

Raids On England

An Air Ministry communique states: "Last night there was some enemy activity over parts of south and south-east England. Bombs were dropped at scattered points in these areas and in the Greater London area, causing slight damage and a small number of casualties. One enemy aircraft was destroyed."

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

Raiders attempting to approach one south-east coast town during the night were driven off by a spectacular barrage which the Nazi airmen refused to dare. No bombs were dropped on the town. At another coast town, four people were in bed when a high explosive bomb exploded wrecking a house. No one was seriously hurt.

ALLIED AIR OFFENSIVE AGAINST ITALY

LONDON: 'Allied Headquarters in North Africa. Tuesday's communique states: "Objectives at Naples were attacked by Wellington bombers of the North-West African air forces on the night of June 20-21 and again on Monday by forces of Flying Fortresses. Considerable damage was done to railway yards and to industrial facilities and bombs were seen to burst on an arsenal.

ROME ADMITS CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE

ROME: Another attack by Allied heavy bombers on Naples is reported in Tuesday's Italian communique. "Considerable damage was caused by this raid and others on Ferra Anunciata, Battipaglia, Reggio di Calabria and Messina.

NAPLES PLASTERED

North-West African Air Forces switched their attention from Sicily to Italian mainland yesterday, Naples receiving a heavy blasting both by night and day, writes Reuter's special correspondent. A nearby air stores depot at Cancello was also bombed.

U.S. AIR FORCE OVER ITALY

CAIRO: To-day's Middle East Air communique states: "Heavy bombers of the 9th United States Air Force attacked the important termini in the toe of Italy on Reggio di Calabria and San Giovanni in daylight yesterday. At San Giovanni, every ship in the straits of Messina turned over after attack.

KING AT MALTA

VALETTA (Malta): The King heard Malta's air raid sirens during his visit to the heroic George Cross Island. An Axis plane was shot down by the Spitfires which wheeled constantly over-head to give an air cover during the Royal visit. The King arrived in the cruiser "Auroura" escorted by destroyers and fighter squadrons. Church bells rung and excited crowds showered confetti into the King's car.

SINCLAIR IN MIDDLE EAST

CAIRO: The Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair has arrived in the Middle East and is touring R.A.F. stations before returning to the United Kingdom.

GRIGG IN CAIRO

Sir James Grigg has arrived in Cairo and is spending several days visiting troops establishments and welfare organisations in Egypt.—Reuter.

HENRY FORD BECOMES GENERAL MANAGER OF FORDS

DETROIT, June 21.

Mr. Henry Ford on Monday assumed the duties of General Manager of the Ford Motor Company in addition to the presidency which he accepted at the death of his son Edsel.

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JINNAH ADVISES APOLOGY

Karachi Municipal Deadlock Echo

KARACHI, June 22.

A meeting of the Muslim members of the Karachi Municipal corporation held at the residence of Mr. Yusuf Abdullah Haroon (where Mr. M. A. Jinnah is at present staying as a guest) decided to form a Muslim League party inside the Corporation. Mr. Jinnah was present at the meeting and advised the formation of a League Municipal party. All the 14 members present joined the new party including Mr. Hatim Alavi, ex-Mayor and Dr. Haji.

The meeting also considered the deadlock created at the Municipal meetings last week following the refusal of a member Dr. Haji, to abide by a ruling of the Chair and his suspension for 15 days. Mr. Jinnah is understood to have advised the member concerned to apologise to the chair in the interest of the smooth working of the Corporation stating that the dignity of the House and of the Chair must be maintained under all circumstances.—A. P.

Will League Join C. P. Coalition Ministry?

NAGPUR June 21.

The Muslim League party is not averse to consider the question of joining any ministry formed on a coalition basis provided it is in keeping with the policy and programme of the All-India Muslim League and has the approval of Mr. Jinnah. This view is expressed in a resolution passed by C. P. Muslim League Assembly Party and later confirmed by the Working Committee of the Provincial Muslim League.

The resolution also authorised the President of the Provincial League Mr. Abur Rauf Shah to seek clarification of the status and strength of the coalescing group and the terms of coalescing and submit them to Mr. Jinnah along with the opinion of the Working Committee.—A. P.

Widows Of Pir Pagaro Released

KARACHI, June 21.

It is learnt that the four widows of the late Pir Pagaro who had been imprisoned by the Martial Law authorities have been released by the Government and handed over to their relatives.

The two minor sons of the Pir have been taken over as wards by the Government who are paying them Rs. 1,700 per month as maintenance. Mr. H. T. Lambrik, Special Commissioner for Sind (Hur Area), has been asked to make arrangements for their education.

The Sind Government are corresponding with the Government of Idia for the return of the property of the Pir confiscated by them.

It is stated that the Provicial Government have not experienced any trouble from the Hurs since they took over charge of the Hur area from the Martial Law authorities on June 1.—United Press.

Munshi And Aney To Accompany Bhansali

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR, June 22.

Messrs. K. M. Munshi and M. S. Aney, it is understood will accompany Prof. Bhansali in his forthcoming visit to Chimur.

It is also reported that Jankidevi Bajaj will also be among the party.

The tour programme it is understood is being drawn.

Confiscation Of Nalwadi Ashram

Mr. Kamalnayanji Bajaj writes:—

"It was a great surprise to me that the institutions engaging themselves in village industries and village reconstruction should have been thought by the C. P. Government as dangerous bodies. Yesterday morning, along with the Satyagrah Ashram Nalwadi, and the Paunar Ashram and the Gram Sewa Mandalas had been confiscated and declared illegal. The Government Gazette mentions only the Nalwadi Ashram and Paunar Ashram. But it seems Gram Sewa Mandal is seized by a mistake or at least it is clear that the action is taken on it, is not quite legal. The Gram Sewa Mandal is a registered body and carries on the following activities:—

1. A tannery, 2. A dairy, 3. A Khadi Saramjam Karyalaya and 4. Khadi production.

These were the main activities of the Gram Sewa Mandal. Nalwadi village has a predominantly Harijan population and the inhabitants are very poor. By the hasty and ill-advised action of the Government nearly 150 families have been thrown out of employment, and practically the whole village is affected by it. It was reported that in a field belonging to Paunar Ashram, some objectionable articles were found, but that case is still 'sub judice'.

It may be recalled here that not less than half a dozen times institutions situated in Nalwadi Ashram were completely searched and nothing objectionable were found there. A few tools of the Saramjam Karyalaya were taken in one of the searches but were subsequently returned. The case about Nalwadi and Paunar Ashram has not yet been decided but even then if the Government has any definite proof, they may, as they have declared both the Ashrams as unlawful. That would only affect the Ashramites. But the local police authorities, it seems, have gone beyond their powers and have seized also the institution engaged in constructive activities along with the residential quarters belonging to Gram Sewa Mandal, for which there seems to be no order.

Khadi Bhandar and such other constructive institutions were confiscated and declared illegal in other parts of the country as well. But the Government of Bengal, Bihar and U. P. seems to have realised their mistakes so that they have mostly lifted the ban on the bodies and have returned the seized goods in many a cases. It is unfortunate that the mistake with the other provinces find it necessary to correct, our Provincial Government should find it necessary to commit.

The question of putting not less than 400 people without sources by itself is a grave one. Moreover what these institutions produced, were all the primary needs of the men and they were all available to the general public at a reasonable price. If the C. P. Government would go deep in the matter, they would soon realise that not only was it unjustified in closing those humanitarian works but on the contrary they would feel it necessary to start such works whenever possible all over the provinces.

I expect the Local Police will be made to realise the mistake and shall soon restore the Gram Sewa Mandal to its original position.

Nazi Tribute To Reds:

"RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN, MORE DANGEROUS THAN ANTICIPATED"

Third Year Of War Begins With Lull But Big Push Behind Lines: Soviet Appeal To Allies To Open Second Front

LONDON, June 22.

The German Overseas Radio to-day made this anniversary comment on the war in Russia, "The Russian campaign has turned out in every respect more difficult and dangerous than could have been anticipated."

Reuter's special correspondent cables from Moscow: Russia is swinging into her third year of war with a lull on the front and a big push behind the lines.

This home front campaign is designed to give added power to the blows which will be struck at Germany in the battles yet to come.

There is a farming drive to keep factories pouring out munitions.

To-day's news of farm front activity is that spring sowing has been completed even in the most northerly regions and harvesting is in full swing in many other zones, while in the most southerly districts harvest has already been completed.

HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

LONDON:—The Moscow Radio broadcast a special 'communique' on the Second Anniversary of Hitler's attack on the Soviet Union saying, the German losses during the two years of war in killed and prisoners are 6,400,000 men against the Soviet loss of 4,200,000 killed and missing.

Germany lost during the same period 56,500 guns, 42,400 tanks and 43,000 aircraft.

Soviet losses in war materials were 35,000 guns, 30,000 tanks and 23,000 aircraft.

FALL IN GERMAN INDUSTRY

"The capacity of the German munitions industry is falling. This is due largely to Allied air raids on Germany's industrial centres.

GUERILLA'S CONTRIBUTION

Besides Axis losses given earlier the communique declares that in the course of the patriotic war guerilla detachments actively operating on the whole territory occupied by the enemy have wiped out over 300,000 Hitlerite scoundrels.

They have organised the wrecking of no less than 3,000 trains, blown up and burnt out 895 stores with arms.

"But this is not enough for victory," declares the communique. "Now everything depends on how our Allies will make use of the favourable situation for the creation of a second front on the European continent, for without a second front victory over Hitlerite Germany is impossible.

Postponement of the second front in Europe against Fascist Germany would lead to a prolongation of the war and therefore to colossal increase of sacrifice."

Roosevelt's Message To Stalin

WASHINGTON: President Roosevelt on Monday sent the following message to Marshal Joseph Stalin on the Second Anniversary of the Soviet-German War.

"The growing might of the combined forces of all the united nations which is being brought increasingly to bear upon our common enemy testifies to the spirit of unity and sacrifice necessary for our ultimate victory.

This same spirit will, I am sure animate us in the approaching challenging tasks of peace which victory will present to the world."

HULL'S TRIBUTE

The Secretary of State Mr Cordell Hull commenting at the press conference to-day said, the Nazis had failed to attain their avowed aim of annihilating the Red Army.

REDS RESPONSIBLE FOR AFRICAN VICTORIES

Columbus (Ohio). The former United States Ambassador to Russia Mr. Joseph Davies said before the Governors' Conference here last night, "Without Russia to aid us in this war, we would have been in desperate Jeopardy" and "without Russia, we cannot plan secure peace.

Mr. Davies in the course of his speech at the Governors' Conference said: "It is, I believe, not an overstatement to assert that but for the resistance of the Red Army and the Soviet Union the Germans might have overrun Africa, might have made Tunisia impossible and might have made a junction with the Japanese in India and on the Persian Gulf.

Had that happened our enemies and not we would to-day be dictating Global strategy.—Reuter.

REMARKABLE SELF SACRIFICE

LONDON: The Moscow Radio reports that Mr. Sumner Welles the United States Under-Secretary of State in a message said: "The remarkable spirit of self-sacrifice displayed by the Red Army and the civilian population of the Soviet Union in the past two years will inspire for many generations all peoples fighting for the preservation of freedom and justice".

MOST FATEFUL MISCALCULATION

NEW YORK: Describing the German invasion of the Soviet which is one of the greatest and most fateful miscalculations in the history of warfare the "New York Herald Tribune" wrote today: "The scant margins of safety on which we now know the British were fighting and the slowness with which the United States was actually preparing her forces, make it only too plain to-day that if Russia had collapsed the world would have collapsed after her into totalitarian night.

TANKS EXHIBITION

MOSCOW, June 22: Two Tiger tanks are a feature of an exhibition of captured Axis tanks, guns, planes and other equipment opened here to-day to mark the beginning of the third year of the War, says Reuter's special correspondent. French Renault and Saumois tanks, light Italian Spa tanks and Hungarian 9-ton tanks are a reminder that the Germans had been scrapping up material from all corners. The equipment of German soldiers shows progressive deterioration as shown by booties of last winter with wooden soles and epsatz for sleeping bags and overcoats made out of paper.

Red Air Force Hammers German Rear

MOSCOW, June 22.

A communique reported that Soviet aircraft dealt blows at railway stations in the German rear. Eight fires were started and two large explosions were observed.

In Bielgorod area, our airmen brought down four German planes. North of Chuguyev, Soviet gunners shelled a column of German infantry. About two companies of Germans were dispersed and partly wiped out.

SPARRING FOR POSITIONS

MOSCOW: Sparring for better positions on the upper Donetz, small groups of both Germans and Russians made a crossing of the river during the night, says Reuter's special correspondent. The mid-day communique reporting these operations said the whole of the German group was wiped out while the Russians took prisoners and returned without loss.

NAZI TROOPSHIP SUNK

LONDON: Four hundred German soldiers lost their lives when the German ship "Birka" was sunk off Trondheim on June 10, according to Norwegian circles here. Four hundred others were saved. "Birka's" cargo included ammunition and petrol. The ship was on her way from Trondheim to Kirkenes and it is not known if the sinking was due to a submarine or a mine says the Swedish paper "Jeaue-landa Tidingen".—Reuter.

Nizam Govt.'s Grant For Famine Relief

HYDERABAD, (Dn.) June 21.

The Nizam's Government have sanctioned, it is understood, a sum of Rs. 41.12 lakhs this year for distribution among agriculturists in the State as against Rs 18 lakhs last year. The distribution is to be in the form of "Taccavi" grants of paddy, jawar and groundnut, improved seeds of cotton and groundnuts, and water facilities. A sum of rupees five lakhs is to be set apart as famine grant for distribution of seeds in the famine-stricken areas of Raichur district.—A. P.

Bihar Journalists' Association Executive

PATNA. (By Mail)

At the annual general meeting of the Bihar Journalists' Association, held in the office of the "Indian Nation" on June 19, with Mr. C. V. H. Raok, Editor of the "Indian Nation" in the chair, the following office-bearers for the current year were elected:

Mr. Murli Manohar Prasad (now detained in jail), President. Mr. P. N. Mitra (Editor, 'United Press'), Acting President. Mr. M. C. Samaddar, Editor, "Bihar Herald", and Mr. Murli Manohar Sinha of "Searchlight", Vice-Presidents. Mr. M. S. Osmani ('Associated Press' and 'Reuters'), General Secretary, and Mr. P. Varma (Yogi) and Mr. Shibepdra Narayan ('Indian Nation') Assistant Secretaries.

The members of the Executive Committee were also elected.—United Press.

MIRAJ TO HAVE DIARCHICAL GOVERNMENT.

MIRAJ,

The decision of the Raja Saheb of Miraj (Senior) to establish, as a first step to the introduction of diarchical form of Government in the State, an Executive Council and to reconstitute the legislature with increased non-official element and on wider franchise, is announced in a proclamation issued by the Darbar.

The diarchical form of Government in Miraj will follow and develop on the lines of the British Indian provinces under the Government of India Act, 1919 subject to necessary adjustments. —U. P.

CALCUTTA, June 22.—Mr. Bhagabandas Haralalka, Secretary, All-Bengal Weavers Association in the course of a statement regarding the plight of the handloom industry in Bengal, appeals to the Government of Bengal and the millowners to supply yarn at reasonable prices.—United Press.

The King Honours Gurkha V.C.-Holder

LONDON, June 22

Reuter's special correspondent with the Royal Party in Tunisia writes:—The King on Saturday afternoon pinned the ribbon of the Victoria Cross on the breast of Subadar Lalbahadur Thapa of the Gurkha Rifles, the announcement of whose award and bravery was published in London on June 15th.

During the inspection of the Royal Indian Division, the King met and personally congratulated every brigadier and every regimental commander. The most colourful troops seen by His Majesty were the Indians with their fierce moustaches and beards and intricately bound turbans—the Madras and Bengal Sappers, the Royal Bombay Sappers, the Rajputana Rifles, the Punjabis, bearded Sikhs and fierce Gurkhas.—Reuter.

Porters On Strike

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Following an alleged assault on coolie by a merchant yesterday at Muljee Jetha Market, about 1,000 porters struck work. The porters continue their strike, today.

The market remains closed and police "bandobust" has been made.

LAVAL'S LATEST DEAL WITH HITLER

LONDON: "Secret information reaching London throws a vivid light on Laval's latest act of treachery. In addition to 'leasing' to Germany the ports of Dunkirk, Calais and Bologne, he has agreed to hand over a number of important French towns and industrial areas which the Nazis will control for 50 years", says the Foreign Editor of the Reynolds News discussing Laval's latest deal with Hitler. "This blue print of Germany's new Europe was agreed to by Laval at his Berchtesgadon meeting with Hitler", he adds.

It will have post-war alterations to the French frontier and will give Germany a 30-mile zone from Le Treport near the mouth of the Somme, then South-East to Nancy and South-West to Dijon. Vast industrial and agricultural areas will thus fall to Germany.—India Press Service.

Ex-King Carol Refused Permission To Enter U.S.

NEW YORK, (By Mail): Ex-King Carol of Rumania has been refused permission to enter U.S.A. He wanted to go to Detroit to give evidence at the trial of three Rumanians charged with failure to register as agents of a foreign power. The State Department announced that it had said 'No' to his entry into U.S.—India Press Service.

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Hightide: 3-30, 16-10. Lowtide: 9-24, 22-46
Corporation Standing Committee meeting today: 2-30 p.m. (B.T.)

TODAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

CHITRAPUR SARASWAT CULTURAL CONFERENCE: Working Committee meeting of the Chitrapur Saraswat Cultural Conference at 6-30 p.m. (N. S. T.), to-day (Wednesday), in the Association Building, Talmaki Wadi, Tardeo.

"INDIA'S WINGS"

To-day (Wednesday) at 6-30 p.m. a meeting will be held at Framjee Cowasjee Hall (Wellington Cinema) the following will speak on the I. A. F.:—

Flight Lieutenant Mukne, Raja of Jawhar, Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, M.L.A., Mr. R. K. Karanjia and Mr. Frank Moraes.

Several interesting films will be shown supporting the speakers and giving a picture of the life of a young airman.

The public are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

NATIONAL WAR FRONT: Meeting at the Labour Welfare Centre, Naigaum, at 3 p.m. to-day (Wednesday) Messrs. P. M. Raje and B. R. Kadrekar will speak. Miss P. S. David, Labour Welfare Officer will preside.

YARN & SILK MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION: The Bombay Yarn and Silk Merchants' Association has sent a telegram to Mr. M. S. A. Hydari, Secretary to the Government of Bombay stating that the time for the liquidation of cotton stock under Rule 14 (1) is too short and requested for extension of the period for at least six months.

ESSAY COMPETITION: The Buddha Society, Nair Building, Bombay 4, is holding an Essay Competition, for High School Boys and Girls. The subject for the essay is "The Life and Teaching of Bhagwan Buddha". The last day for submitting the essays is 30th June, 1943. First prize Rs. 30, and second prize Rs. 20. The Essay should not exceed 2,000 words.

Hansraj B. Kantawala, son of Mr. B. H. Kantawala, General Manager of Sholapur Mills, passed this year's Matriculation examination at the early age of 13, from the Sholapur Centre. He had taken Ardha-Magadhi in English.

SCHOOLS COMMITTEE BUDGET

Plea For Additional Grant

An additional grant of Rs. 2,97,000 will have to be made by the Municipal Corporation, to the Schools Committee in order to balance the Committee's budget, according to the revised Estimates adopted by the Committee at its meeting on Tuesday.

In the estimates submitted by the Committee to the Corporation in October 1942, they had budgetted for an expenditure of Rs. 44,08,972 and had asked for a grant of Rs. 43,68,432 from the General Municipal funds. The Corporation, however sanctioned a grant of Rs. 43,17,350 only.

But there has been an increase in the amount of grain compensation allowance and salaries to teachers and other items, some of which are payable under resolutions of the Corporation itself. Therefore with a view to adjust the budget within the grant sanctioned by the Corporation, the Secretary proposed a series of cuts, "in a way arbitrary" in the Schools Committee's budget. The total amount so cut comes to Rs. 2,97,083. At the same time she proposed that in order to obviate these cuts and readjust the budget according to real requirements the Corporation should be approached with a request to sanction an additional grant.

ACADEMY OF ISLAM—"Meeting, on Saturday 26th inst. at 4-30 p.m. at the Anjuman Islam Hall, Bori Bunder, in honour of the noted poet of Hyderabad Maherul Qadiri, who will deliver a discourse and chant his own compositions. Atiya Begum, Kulsum Khatun Khan, will welcome. Gouhar Lady Sandow & Durriya Khatun will recite Hamd. All nationalities most cordially invited. Special arrangements for Purdah ladies. Inform 41350.

MR. NAOROJI M. DUMASIA DEAD

45 Years Of A Notable Journalistic Career

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The "Bombay Chronicle" regrets to announce the death of Mr. Naoroji M. Dumasia, Special Correspondent of "The Times of India" and a member of the Central Legislative Assembly, which occurred at the Natural Therapy Clinic, Bombay, this morning. He was 73 years of age.

Mr. Dumasia had been seriously ill for a long time and was taken to the Clinic in the first week of June. The funeral will take place at Doongerwadi, Malabar Hill tomorrow morning.

One of the oldest journalists in the Bombay Presidency, Mr. Naoroji M. Dumasia had a career extending over 45 years, during which he came in contact with various Indian statesmen and leaders of political thought.

Starting his journalistic career in the early 'nineteen' as a reporter of the "Bombay Gazette" (now defunct), Mr. Dumasia later joined the "Times of India" in the same capacity and subsequently became Senior Reporter and then special correspondent.

He was a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for ten years, of the Bombay Improvement Trust, of the first Bombay Legislative Council which met after the Montford Reforms, and later of the Central Legislative Assembly.

During the seven years that he was a member of the Central Legislative Assembly, he took an active part in promoting various measures for India's economic and social improvement.

He was the first to move for the removal of the excise duty on cotton and in 1926, the resolution given at his instance, but ballotted by Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, for the suspension of the duty was finally carried leading ultimately to the abolition of the duty. He also worked to secure protection for the Tata Iron and Steel Co. Again, at his instance the resolution qualifying women as voters for the Central Assembly was adopted.

Mr. Dumasia was a resident of Juhu for over 20 years and opened a modern place for entertainment and recreation at the seaside resort.

Charitably disposed Mr. Dumasia freely gave money for deserving causes.

He leaves behind him a widow and a married daughter.

TEZPUR, June 22.—It is learnt that an additional sum of money amounting to Rs. 16 lakhs has been sanctioned by the Government of Assam for the Agricultural Department in connection with the "Grow More Food" Campaign from the Provincial Revenue. —United Press.

What Is A "Street"?

(Before the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Sen).

The Provident Investment Co., Ltd. ...Petitioners (Original Accused).

vs.

The Municipal Commissioner ...Respondent (Original Complainant).

The petitioner who own a building called Gowalia Tank Building built a compound wall in a passage between that building, and the Manavir Jain Vidyalaya. The Municipality objected and proceedings ensued as a result of which the petitioners were fined Rs. 10 for this croachment by a bench of Honorary Magistrates. From this conviction under the Municipal Act, the petitioners approached the High Court in revision.

Their Lordships remanded the case back to the Magistrates for a finding within one month as to whether or not the public had a right of access over the passage by dedication or user so as to constitute it a "street" within the Municipal Act. Their Lordships expressed the view that if the finding was in the negative a former decision of this Court in 30 Bom. 558 would have to be considered by a Full Bench. Their Lordships doubted correctness of that decision when it ruled that a laid out passage between two houses was a street, whether or not the public had a right of passage or access over it.

Mr. R. J. Kolah with Mr. D. I. Vania appeared for the Petitioners.

The Government Pleader appeared for the Crown.

Mr. Y. B. Rege instructed by Messrs. Crawford Bayley & Co. appeared for the Respondent.

Kher-Bapat Wedding

(From Our Correspondent.)

BANDRA, June 22.

On Friday last Junu was the scene of a pretty wedding, when Dr. Vasant M. Kher, eldest son of Dr. M. G. Kher, of Juhu, was married to Mrs. Godavari Bapat (formerly Miss. Joshi) daughter of Mr. Joshi, a well-known businessman of Baroda. The marriage ceremony was performed according to Hindu Rites. The guests included, Dr. Gajjar, Dr. M. Desai and Mr. S. R. Patkar.

3 ARTS SPECIAL FUNCTION: On Sunday 27th inst., at 4-30 p.m. at Greens, The chief guest Maherul Qadiri, the well-known poet of Hyderabad will recite his delightful compositions. Begum Noushaba will speak on Urdu poems by women poets. Director Parabh of the Navnit Kala Mandir, of Dadar will present:— Puja dance by Hira. Patang dance by Hira and Indu. The Hunter by Surve, and a Folk dance. Panhari by Pushpa. Ghoomer Marwari dance by Hira. Indu, Nalini and Pushpa. Welcome and appreciation by Atiya Begum, Husain Bros., and Makani.

"RUSSIA DAY"

City Tributes To Soviet Heroism

In celebration of the second anniversary of the Russo-German war, the friends of the Soviet Union observed Russia Day at Blavatsky Lodge on Tuesday.

Prof. P. A. Wadia who presided said that from the beginning Russia stood out for its own way of life, peace, disarmament, and the overcoming of all barriers of colour, creed and other human inequalities.

Though there might be difference of opinion about the invitation of Russia in all aspects, still there was much in it which could be usefully copied by other nations.

In conclusion, he said, "The very thing we might call evil, might turn out to be the instrument for good, according to the mysterious ways of providence."

Smt. Sunalini Devi read out a poem about the Russian resistance, Mr. Mohan Kumaramangalam gave an analysis of the war and Russia's part in it, and Mr. Harindranath Chattopadhyaya paid his tribute to Soviet heroism, in spirited verse, he had specially composed.

Send-Off To Principal Gunjikar

A hearty send-off was given to Prof. Gunjikar of the Royal Institute of Science on Sunday at Chowpatty by his friends and admirers who style themselves as members of the Lipstick Club. The president, Mr. V. S. Sangiri, congratulated the professor on his appointment as the Principal of the Gujrat College, Ahmedabad and spoke at length about the work and worth of the guest. Several speakers followed. Principal Gunjikar thanked his friends for the honour they had done him and the good words they had spoken about him. After parting of light refreshments the proceedings terminated.

ALLEGED THEFT

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Arrested on the suspicion that he was responsible for the theft of iron coils and copper wire valued at Rs. 5,155 from a shed at Wadi Bunder, Ismail Mohamed was put up to-day before Mr. I. S. Haji at the Mazagaon Court and was remanded into police custody.

The police stated that they had recovered Rs. 2,925 worth of material, alleged to have been abandoned by the suspect at the scene of the offence

DEATH BY DROWNING

A verdict of accidental death due to drowning was passed on Datoo Shankar Rane (13), the brother of a police constable who went to take a rainbath in a pool of water in the compound of the Willingdon Sports Club on Monday, and was drowned.

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POONA, June 22.

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"Swaraj is my birth-right and I will have it".

—TILAK.

The Bombay Chronicle

IT SPREADS TO BOMBAY

The efforts that are being made in Bihar, the Central Provinces and even Madras to form Ministries could not leave Bombay unaffected, where the Congress majority is smaller than in those provinces. Mr. Lalthe must have had good reason to issue a statement warning Congressmen against all such attempts, whether in Bombay or in other provinces which were formerly under Congress Cabinets. What tempts Ministry-seekers most in Bombay is that in an Assembly of 175 members the number of men elected on Congress ticket is only 82, which does not give the Congress Party an absolute majority. The Party had a working majority on account of about eight persons joining it after the election, and it is hoped by non-Congress parties that these men may not stick on to the Congress in the present circumstances, in which case, it is pointed out, a non-Congress Coalition Ministry is possible.

Now, what are the circumstances which, some people believe, may induce independent supporters of the Congress Party to change their policy? For one thing, it is said, there has been a revulsion of feeling in the public since the Congress decision of August last and the happenings thereafter. But it is not a fact that there has been any diminution of support to the Congress. Several bye-elections have proved that, if anything, Congress is gaining more popular sympathy. Nor is there any ground for any other attitude towards Congress. The people do not swallow the stories of Congress responsibility for the disturbances, whatever be the attitude of Government and their self-interested creatures. Government themselves realise the growing popularity of the Congress and that is why they refuse to have general elections and why they encourage Ministry-forming when Congress leaders are in jail. It is also urged by "Ministry-wallas" that the time has come when Governors' autocracy must end and be replaced by people's autonomy and that, since the Congress majority Party refuses to work provincial autonomy, other Parties must step in. The first part of the plea may be accepted, but the proposed Ministry of minority groups is in no sense people's autonomy but mere dressing up of autocracy to make it appear as autonomy, so long at any rate as Congress members of the Legislature are in jail. It will be much worse than the present system because, in the words of the resolution of the Servants of India Society, which cannot be accused of partiality towards the Congress, the Ministers in the minority Cabinets will only be "non-official advisers in disguise, as they will owe their positions not to any Parliamentary majority but to the support of the Government" and "the formation of such Ministries will mislead international opinion and make it appear that genuine democratic Government is functioning in the Provinces." It is a misnomer to call such Ministries Coalition Ministries, which term can be properly applied only to those Ministries which include all the principal parties including, of course, first and foremost, the majority party.

Coalition Ministries in the right sense are now approved by many Congressmen. But they are possible only if the Congress leaders are released and agree to Coalition Ministries. In the alternative Congress leaders may choose to decline office and give discriminating support to Ministries representing other parties. But so long as the Ministries carry out the wishes of the Legislature the system can be legitimately called autonomy. But to keep Congress leaders in jail and to steal a majority that way in the Legislature is a mean fraud on the Constitution which should be stoutly resisted by all those who value genuine autonomy. Rao Bahadur V. A. Gadkari, a member of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, says in a press interview that a stable coalition ministry is possible in Bombay "even if all the Congressmen now under detention were to be set free." That is possible only with the support of the Congress Party. In any case none can complain from the constitutional point of view if a stable ministry is formed without the support of the Congress but with the Congress legislators quite free. But what is reprehensible is to secure stability with the imprisonment of those Congressmen.

In The Common Cause

On the second anniversary of Hitler's attack on Russia a special Russian communique gives an account of what the two years' fighting has cost to both sides. According to this communique German losses are 6,400,000 men killed or captured, 56,500 guns, 42,400 tanks and 43,000 aircraft while Russian losses are 4,200,000 men killed or missing, 35,000 guns, 30,000 tanks and 23,000 aircraft. It may be that the Russian estimate of the cost to Germany in men and material errs on the optimistic side. But even if the losses are about equal—and there is no reason why they should not be—the figures lend almost dramatic point to the great contribution which Russia has made to the Allied cause by grievously weakening the strength of Germany. It is thanks to the bleeding to which Russia subjected Germany during the last two years that the Nazis are now reduced to the sorry position of speaking in terms of the defensive.

But those very figures also show how badly Russia, too, has bled almost unaided, for the four or five thousand tanks and a corresponding number of aircraft bear a miserable relation to the equipment lost by her in the common struggle. The loss in manpower is even more tragic. Discussing the hardships suffered by Russia, Mr. Joseph Davies, the former U. S. Ambassador to Moscow and the man who recently visited that country as President Roosevelt's personal envoy to M. Stalin, says: "Everywhere in Russia there are evidences of sorrow and grief. The casualty list runs into millions of both soldiers and civilians. Every family in Russia has lost some loved ones." And by these sacrifices Russia has not only saved herself but, as Mr. Davies points out, the whole cause of the United Nations. Such sacrifices demand more than verbal tributes and promises.

Post-War Education

As post-war policy will naturally be most influenced by the educated men of the new generation, attempts are already being made in many countries to discuss in advance post-war problems of education. Harvard University has appointed a Committee of Professors to consider these problems in connection with the recommendations already laid down in the latest annual report of Dr. J. B. Conant, the President of the University. It appears from this report that one of the most pressing problems is the old one of reconciling the claims of a "liberal" with those of a practical education. As the report puts it, "the problem is not how to prevent annihilation of the study of the arts and letters but how to adapt the venerable tradition of education to our modern age.' This is not an easy problem. It is particularly hard in a country like India which has its peculiar needs but where the tendency is still strong to imitate the methods adopted in Britain. It is bad enough even for a rich country like Britain to act on the principle that an education that is fit for the rich is equally fit for the poor classes. To act on that principle is disastrous in India. The crux of the problem is what education is best for the vast majority of the people in every country. The Harvard report itself does well to point out that "the most important aspect of the whole matter is general education for the great majority of each generation and not for the comparatively small minority who attend four year colleges."

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Allied Intervention

It is a great pity that the French deadlock has now continued for three weeks and that there are still no signs of its being resolved. There is a report to the effect that the Allies have decided to intervene in the crisis. Now, it may be granted that both General de Gaulle and General Giraud have some justification for their respective points of view and that conversely, both are to blame for their uncompromising attitudes. In such circumstances an Allied intervention becomes desirable and even necessary provided it is impartial. Is it that? A Reuter's message has this significant comment on the situation: "Military co-operation with General Giraud has proceeded smoothly and satisfactorily and any risk that this working arrangement might be disadvantageously affected, should, it is considered, be avoided in the common interest of the French as well as of the British and American Army." This means quite bluntly that the Allies are opposed to any interference by General de Gaulle except in the form of submitting to the present position, and to General Giraud's supremacy. If this is the Allied attitude the intervention is both unhelpful and unfair.

Turkey's Misfortune

Of late years Turkey has been particularly unlucky is suffering the horrors of earthquakes. It is not very long ago that she experienced in Anatolia one of the worst and most terrible of visitations in her history. The devastation was so great and gruesome that it shocked the whole world. Since then Turkey has undergone a series of minor trials which have now culminated in the tragedy of Ada Bazar, a town of 25,000 inhabitants east of Istanbul. No details have come from Ankara but it is clear that destruction of life and property has been terrible. The heartfelt sympathy of India goes to the Turkish Nation in its misfortune.

Late Mr. Naoroji Dumasia

The death of Mr. Naoroji M. Dumasia, M.L.A. (Central) will be deeply regretted by his many friends and fellow-journalists. Though in recent years his politics were far from popular, he was a popular and enterprising journalist. Rising from the lowest rung of the journalistic ladder he reached a fairly high and comfortable position by his talent and enterprise. His journalistic career brought him in contact with various classes of men and he made a good use of his knowledge of men and affairs in his public life, where, too, he carved for himself a no mean position. For he was a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for ten years, of the first Bombay Legislative Council which met after the inauguration of the Montford Reforms and later of the Indian Legislative Assembly. But it was as a journalist that he succeeded best. His genial manner towards all and his zest for his professional work will be long remembered by his many friends and co-workers.

COALITION MINISTRIES

Nariman's Appeal To Rajaji

Mr. K. F. Nariman, M.L.A., has issued the following statement to the Press:

Field Marshal Wavell's appointment to Viceroyalty, undoubtedly signifies British Government's determination to continue, at least for next five years, the 'Iron Rule' within an aggressive warfare abroad, in the Far and Middle East; indirectly it also forecasts a long war. This last imperialist militarist gesture ought to damp the enthusiasm even of that most optimistic Congressman, Rajaji, and, we hope, we will not hear any more of those humiliating 'knocks' at Viceregal palace doors, begging for the key to solve the deadlock.

Let Rajaji, with his resourceful brain and acute intellect, search for some other more honourable, practical and political method, to prevent the further drift and stop the stagnating stalemate in Indian politics. Unless retrieved sooner in course of time, the situation is bound to deteriorate and if not remedied, it may demoralise to such an extent as to be hopeless even for future redemption. Following the patriotic example of his great departed colleagues and associates, late lamented Motilalji, Das, Vithalbhai and others, why does he not endeavour to revive the long paralysed Swaraj Party within the Congress, or at least of what is left of it outside the jails? Thereby he may be the saviour of the present situation. If he sincerely and honestly believes that the cause of the country and the interest of the Congress, demands Coalition and popular Governments, both Provincial and Central, at this critical juncture, why does he not go a step further and try to consolidate and organise the present leaderless and wondering Congressmen and form a party with a definite political objective and policy? Such a party may form Coalition Ministries after negotiating with other groups, and if Muslim League responds, this move may also be a potential political link leading ultimately to the much-desired political Union between the Congress and League.

That move is certainly better, more honest and more patriotic and as a counter-move, will also prevent further rot that tempts so many erstwhile Congress Parliamentarians to cross the floor by the back door to join the Non-Congress Ministerial groups.

'Council Entry' has crept into the Congress at the interval of ten years, in 1923 and again in 1933, and at each time it was a mad internal constitutional revolt and a reaction to unsuccessful and not very fruitful Satyagraha movements started by the High Command under Gandhian leadership. Let 1943 repeat the experiment, God-willing it may be more successful than before, and bear better results than futile so-called Unity Conferences or humiliating self-appointed Viceregal Deputations.

As a first step, let Rajaji summon a few of his Congress colleagues and hold an informal discussion, and if the idea is acceptable, further steps may be taken; it may ultimately turn out to be a shorter, more honourable and patriotic course to achieve the ends that he has in view viz., to end the present stalemate, to form Popular Governments and lastly to bring about the general Jail Delivery.

The choice before the Congress High Command will be either complete surrender or reconciliation with the new policy introduced from within; the present bureaucratic demand is a complete withdrawal of that ill-fated August Resolution as a condition precedent to any negotiations. Let Congressmen themselves suggest a more honourable alternative by substituting that resolution by a constructive proposal, more suited to present conditions and thus bring pressure on High Command to accept that alternative.

Congress-League Contest

PESHAWAR, June 21.

Fight between the League and the Congress in the ensuing by-elections will be a very tough one and no party is at present really optimistic about the result. Congress hold on the masses still appears to be very strong but the intelligentsia among the Muslims is entirely with the League. The Ministry is becoming more and more popular every day because of its progressive policy regarding the food problem and political prisoners.—Orient Press.

CROWN'S WITHDRAWAL IN PAUNAR SABOTAGE CASE

Radhakrishna Bajaj Released But Rearrested Under Sec. 26 Of D. I. R.

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR, June 22.

The Paunar Sabotage case took an abrupt turn to-day when Crown withdrew the case against Radhakrishna Bajaj, a nephew of Seth Jamnalal Bajaj. Radhakrishna Bajaj was rearrested under Section 26 of the D.I.R. Messrs. Walunjaker and Radhakrishna have been brought to Nagpur Central Jail.

The bail application of Sjt. Kumarappa has been rejected and the case commences from July 6.

RELEASED AND REARRESTED

JOHRAT, June 22.—Messrs. Narendra Nath Sarma, Kripal Chandra Sarma and Jogeswar Datta were released on expiry of their terms of imprisonment. But Mr. Narendra Nath Sarma was rearrested under Rule 26 of the D.I.R.

The police raided the house of Mr. Debeswar Sarma, M.L.A., Security Prisoner and took away some books and papers.—United Press.

SANGLI, June 22.—Vasant Patil of Padmal village near Sangli wanted by the Satara police for a long time (perhaps since August last) was arrested by the Satara police this morning here with the help of the Sangli police. A reward of Rs. 1,000/- had been announced for information leading to the arrest of Patil.—A.P.

LOOTING CASE CONVICT ORDERED TO BE RELEASED

BHAGALPUR, June 22.—The Patna High Court has ordered the release of Mr. Satyadeo Rai of Gouripur on a bail of Rs. 1,000. He was arrested and convicted in connection with the Thana Bihpur looting and burning case during the Civil Disobedient movement.

Pandit Rajendra Mishra, M.L.A. has been enlarged on a bail of Rs. 250 by the Sessions Judge, Bhagalpur.

Messrs. Satrughna Prasad Singh ex-Chairman of the Local Board. Supoul and Ganga Prasad Singh, former Vice-Chairman of the Local Board, Madhipura have also been enlarged on bail.—United Press.

SURAT CONGRESSMAN SENTENCED

SURAT, June 22.

Mr. Chotubhai Lalbhai Patel, formerly a clerk in the Surat District Congress Committee has been sentenced to eight months' rigorous imprisonment and Rs. 2,000 fine or in default two months' further rigorous imprisonment on a charge of keeping in his possession prejudicial literature.—A.P.

SURAT, June 22.—The Sessions Judge, Nadiad, says a report, delivered judgment in the Deselvaga bomb case sentencing Shankarlal Chhaganlal to three years' R.I. and to pay a fine of Rs. 100/- in default to undergo three months' further R.I. Ramanlal, Nanubhai, Matilal and Kantilal were acquitted.—United Press.

RELEASES ON PAROLE

MADRAS, June 22.—Mr. Varasi Kanamji, a Gujarati merchant of Madras, a detenu, was released from the Vellore Jail on a fortnight's parole. Mr. Muthuvijay Pillai has also been released. Mr. Visvanathan of Madura, a detenu in Vellore Jail, was released yesterday on ten days' parole. Mr. Huche Gowda, a member of the Mysore State Congress Working Committee, was released on parole of one month.—United Press.

92 ACCUSED DISCHARGED

TANUK (West Godavari), June 22.

The Additional Magistrate has passed orders discharging 92 accused in the Penugonda looting case and framing charges against 10 under Sections 147, 454 and 380 of the Indian Penal Code. The case was originally launched against 109 persons and the accused were convicted by a Magistrate of Narasapur. On appeal the convictions were set aside and a re-trial was ordered by the Sessions Judge of West Godavari.—United Press.

Mrs. Bajaj Declines Magistrate's Offer

(From Our Correspondent)

NAGPUR, June 21

The District Magistrate Wardha, it is reported, had written to Mrs. Savitri Devi Bajaj, wife of Sjt. Kamalnayan Bajaj, (daughter-in-law of Seth Jamnalal Bajaj), a security prisoner in Jubbulpore jail to arrange to take delivery of radio set which was seized from her residence during her absence, on condition that it was disposed of within a month. She is understood to have informed the District Magistrate of her inability to take its delivery on any condition as she thinks that mere possession of a radio set without licence is not an offence.

It may be recalled that the radio set was seized by the city police following the cancellation of the radio licence.

SELF-DETERMINATION DEMAND IS INTEGRAL PART OF INDIAN FREEDOM

U. P. Congress Ex-Parliamentary Secretary's View

"Mr. Gopinath Srivastava, who was detained since August last, was released unconditionally from the Central Prison, Lucknow, on June 2, 1943. Mr. Srivastava belongs to that band of youngmen who left their studies in 1921 to join the Non-Co-operation Movement and have since then been devoting their whole-time to Congress work. He is a member of the U. P. Provincial and the All-India Congress Committees. Not attached to any party in the Congress, he is a prominent figure in U. P. and was Parliamentary Secretary in the days of the Congress Ministry."

Approached by a representative of the "People's War" soon after his release he said that nothing had happened to change the views he held prior to his arrest; on the other hand events have further confirmed it.

Proceeding further he stated that after the published correspondence of Mahatma Gandhi with H. E. the Viceroy it had become unquestionably clear that neither Gandhiji nor the Congress, all powers of which were centralised in him, initiated or permitted the series of acts (of violence and sabotage) in August last and the following months.

The said correspondence made it further clear that Gandhiji had no intention of actually immediately launching the Civil Disobedience movement, for which he was duly authorised by the A. I. C. C. at its meeting held in Bombay on August 7, 1942. It would therefore not be untrue to state that the said movement has never been started.

In regard to their attitude towards war-efforts, in Mr. Srivastava's opinion, on the basis of previous writings by Gandhiji and the relevant Congress resolutions, it was perfectly unambiguous and clear.

While their sympathies lay with the Allies and they were averse to any obstruction or impediment in war-efforts, they could not actively participate in the same owing to the attitude of the British Government in its refusal to form a really and genuinely National Government, which alone could create conditions in which sufficient popular enthusiasm was possible.

Asked for his advice to such Congressmen as were out or were being gradually released Mr. Srivastava said that if the background as stated above were accepted, it followed equally clearly that activities in contradiction or opposition to what he has stated earlier if carried on in the name of the Congress were, to say the least, totally and wholly unauthorised and Congressmen should not hesitate to declare so openly and boldly.

In regard to the problem of food Mr. Srivastava paid a tribute to the campaign started and initiated by the Communist Party, which merited widest possible support.

As for the Communal situation Mr. Srivastava was distressed at the progressive deterioration in the same. He congratulated the Communist Party for its persistent propaganda in favour of League-Congress unity. Communal or national unity, according to Mr. Srivastava, was both desirable and essential but what he stressed and what he claimed to have maintained all along was that the principle underlying the Muslim League's demand of self-determination for the Mussalmans was, apart from other considerations, an integral part of their highest conception of a Free India Constitution.—"People's War."

THE TELEPHONE CASE

(By JAL R. VIMADALAL.)

"The Telephone Case", as it was popularly called, which attracted considerable public interest and on which the curtain was rung in March last, arose out of an offer made by the Government Telephone Board to purchase the shares of the Bombay Telephone Co., at Rs. 89-15-0 per share. This offer had been accepted by 90 per cent of the shareholders of the Company but certain dissenting shareholders presented a petition under Section 153B of the Indian Companies Act to the Hon Court paying for an order that the Government Board should not be at liberty to acquire their shares at a price which they considered grossly inadequate. They succeeded in the trial court before Mr. Justice Chagla who held that the whole valuation had been vitiated by the fact that it was as of March 1940 and not as of March 1941 which was the date of the offer, and observed that a decision of the majority of shareholders based on no materials could not stand on the same footing as a reasoned decision based on full materials. On appeal, however, the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Kania took quite another view of the matter and dismissed the petition on the ground that merely by proving that a wrong basis had been adopted, the dissentients had not discharged the burden which lay upon them of proving that the offer was not a fair and reasonable one.

This important decision, the first in India under Section 153B of the Companies Act, has brought to light several lacunae in that Section. It is to be regretted that the Section as it stands affords no guidance whatever to the Court as to the grounds on which it is to intervene and to make an order preventing the transferee company from acquiring the shares of the dissentients. The learned judges of the appellate court have, in our opinion, taken a very narrow view of the Section which practically renders it nugatory when they attached undue sanctity to the opinion of the majority of shareholders and laid down that the Court would be justified in not accepting that opinion only in cases of fraud or innocent misrepresentation or when there is evidence in the nature of a counter valuation by the dissenting shareholders proving that the offer was not a fair and reasonable one.

Now, the Government Boards had made this offer in 1941 in order to avoid a detailed and expensive valuation of a huge concern like that, worth almost 3 crores, which otherwise, the Government would have to undertake if it were to acquire it under the terms of the license in March 1943. To set the few shareholders who have the courage to dissent, a task of which the Government itself fought shy is to fix them with an intolerable burden which will render the Section of little use. We, therefore, suggest that the Section should be amended so as to lay upon the dissentients only the reasonable burden of establishing a 'prima facie' case that certain assets had been substantially under valued e.g. by reason of having adopted a wrong basis. The onus should then shift on the transferee Company to satisfy the Court that although it proceeded on a wrong basis in regard to certain assets, the resulting valuation was, in the aggregate, fair and reasonable. And the Section should further be amended so as to enact specifically that once the dissentients had discharged 'this 'prima facie' burden and the Court finds that they had a reasonable case to bring before it, even though ultimately their petition be dismissed, the transferee company should be made to pay their costs and also interest from the date when cash would have been paid had the original offer been accepted by the dissentients.

The Legislature would also do well to make it clear whether the Section merely gives the Court the power to refuse to permit the transferee company to acquire the shares of the dissentients or whether it gives the Court the further power to fix the terms on which the shares should be acquired. As the Section stands, the point is not free from doubt though our Court has taken the former view. It is open to the Legislature to adopt the latter course for once it comes to Court the matter has passed out of the domain of free contract into the realm of statutory enforcement against parties who have never accepted certain terms.

Though the Government Board succeeded on the more or less technical ground that the dissentients had failed to put in a counter valuation of their own experts to support their case, everyone who heard in Court Mr. Seerval's "eloquent and able criticism" of the Government valuation went home convinced that in paying them only Rs. 89-15-0 per share, the Government Board had not given the shareholders a square deal.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

"It is, I believe, not an overstatement to assert that but for the resistance of the Red Army and the Soviet Union the Germans might have overrun Africa, might have made Tunisia impossible and might have made a junction with the Japanese in India and on the Persian Gulf."

—JOSEPH DAVIES.

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Miss Anne O'Hara McCormick of the "New York Times" interprets Field Marshal Wavell's—er—promotion as the British Government's desire "to clear the decks for new command and new strategy in the Far East."

You have said it, Sister.

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But it also, of course means the decision of the British Government to keep decks littered against new strategy in India.

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General Marshal, the American Army Chief, has warned Americans that the end is far from being in sight but that "we are just getting well started. Great battles lie ahead."

Which sounds like a gratified American compliment to the Washington decisions.

Your request for further elucidation is requested.

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General Freyburg, the New Zealand Commander, told an Auckland audience the other day that 'the Fourth Indian Division were magnificent units with a record, second to none.'

In fact, these units are unique both in fighting qualities and in their composition.

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Lady Strabolgi has uttered the warning that Russia is facing a food shortage.

It is certainly a matter of very serious concern for the United Nations or at least it ought to be.

But Lady Strabolgi's method of doing away with the danger is entirely amateurship. Knowing nothing of military strategy, logistics and so on she demands an immediate Anglo-American invasion of Europe, whereas the right thing would be to make an urgent approach to—the U.K.C.C.

And all would be well.

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The German Radio announces that a Turkish town has been destroyed completely by earthquake.

Even the elements are not above grievous blunders.

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CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS DEEPENS.
—Headline to an Australian report.

How very surprising. Evidently they in Australia don't know that there is a war on.

Scholarships For Muslim Students

The Secretary of the Anjuman-i-Islam, writes:—

The following 18 Scholarships for higher education are at the disposal of the Anjuman-i-Islam, Bombay, and will be awarded to poor and deserving Muslim Students. Applications with full particulars should be made to the Secretary, the Anjuman-i-Islam, 92, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, before 10th July 1943 for the prescribed form. Forms will be sent only for vacant scholarships:—

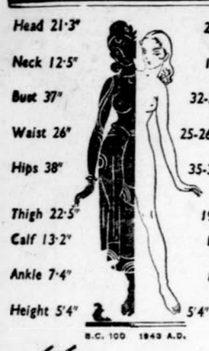
8 Prof. Mirza Hairat Scholarships each of Rs. 90 p.a. Arts and Science (Arabic Second Language preferred.) 4 Haji Haroon Siddick Scholarships each of Rs. 144 p.a. B.T., B.Ag. (Medical and Art.) 2 Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim Bart., Scholarships each of Rs. 90 p.a. Commerce and Industry. 1 Ibrahim Mohamed Sayani Scholarship of Rs. 144 p.a. (For Kaira or Broach Students.) 1 Sir Rasulkhanji Scholarship of Rs. 144 p.a. Science, Engineering, etc. 1 Kazi Kabiruddin Scholarship of Rs. 90 p.a. Technical Education. 1 Haji Suleman Abdul Wahed Scholarship of Rs. 80 p.a. Veterinary.

Result of the award will be sent to all colleges.

Sugar Rationing

Once again a Government Order with the usual lack of Government control has held the usual effect. Until very recently one could buy one's reasonable requirements at as. 3-6 per lb. Now sugar is controlled and one is not allowed sufficient for what may be termed one's minimum needs. What is the result: no more nor less than was so obviously inevitable. Government play right into the hands of Black Markets—and one can buy sufficient sugar to bury oneself in at as. 7 or as. 8 per pound. I can only assume Government are biding their time before increasing the ration to what the medical profession considers reasonable until the Black Market has had its fill.

"(S) TRUTH."



the PERFECT woman

As you will see from the above illustration, ideas about what constitutes the perfect figure of a woman vary in different ages. There can, however, be no two opinions regarding the fact that a woman can neither hope to acquire a perfect figure nor be called a perfect woman without healthy functioning of her reproductive system. Apart from its racial function of manufacturing ova — the ovaries generate an internal secretion which has a tremendous influence on the development of a woman's body. Her entire feminine charm and power of attraction, her general health and wellbeing, energy and mental alertness depends on this ovarian secretion.

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CITY MARKETS

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

SHARES: The local Share Bazar was very steady to-day with moderate buying. Cotton Mill Shares as usual received more attention and with reported sales of cloth by a local mill at Rs. 2/6 inspired confidence. It appears that control which was expected to depress prices have had no effect on the general belief that the control is likely to affect only profits of cloth merchants and mills profits will not show any market decrease. The currency expansion is stimulating demand and the Share Bazar displays good undertone. Tata Steel Dfd. Shares opened at Rs. 2,075 and improved to Rs. 2,080, while Ordinary Shares were quoted at Rs. 418. Bombay Dyeings opened at Rs. 2,010 and advanced to Rs. 2,040. Century Mill Shares were quoted at Rs. 851 and Kohinoors were done at Rs. 860. Associated Cement Shares were quoted at Rs. 233.

Later on there was scattered realising which checked the rise and prices reacted few points from the highest levels reached. Tata Steel Dfds. stood at Rs. 2,072, Ordinary Shares at Rs. 417. Bombay Dyeing at Rs. 2,030 and Century Shares were quoted at Rs. 849.

TEXTILE: Ahmedabad Adv. 555; Apollos 5-7; Bharat Mills 98-4; Bom. Dyeing 2035; Cent. India 458; Century 852; Colaba 257-8; Dawn 1480; E. D. Ordy 20-6; E. D. Defd. 3-14 1/2; Edward Sassoon 640, Elphinstone 95-8; Finlay 344; Gokak 351; Hindustan 4875; Ind. Manfg 4500; Ind. Bleaching 231; Ind. Malwa 1045; Khatau 560; Kohinoor 857; Lakshmi 1555; Madhowji 26-8; Minerva 245; Model Nagpur 371-4; Madhusudan 563-12; Meyer Sassoon 215; Morarji xr 1020; Mysore 272-8; New City 425-10; New Great 440; Phoenix 755; Podar Mills 346-4; Sassoon Spg. 26-8; Sassoon Silk 105; Sholapur 8625; Shri Nivas 415; Simplex 326-8; Svadeshi 567; Swan 319; Tata Mills 76; Vishnu 2520; Western India 3530.

INSURANCE: Bom. Life 190; Empire Life 750; Jupiter 26-4; Oriental 5425; Ind. Mercantile 82; Indust. & Prudent 38-8; New India 76-12; Vulcan 16-4.

HYDRO & ELEC.: Ahmedabad 196-4; Ajmere 14; And. Valley 1890; Bom. Tram 158; Bom. Suburban 191; Broach 13-14; Karachi 275; Poona 300; Surat 194-8; Surat New Rs. 50/pd. Prem. 70; Tata Hydro Ord. 199; Tata Power Ord. 1827-8.

BANK: Baroda Bank 131; Bank of India 178-8; Central Bank 69-8; Imperial Bank 1660; Imperial P. P. 460; Reserve Bank 119-8; Union 8-8.

MISCELLANEOUS: Alembic Chem. 345; Alcock Ashdown 900; Asso. Cement 234-4; Bom. Burma Old 376-4; Bom. Burma New 131-4; Belapur 237; B. B. Petrol 2-9; Bom. Steam 590; Radio Ord. 510; Radio Defd. 438; Invest. Trust 62; Prem. Const. 179; Port Canning 97; Scindia 34-9; Shivrajpur 69; Tata Ordy. 417-8; Tata Defd. 2072-8; Tata Chem. 37-14; Tata Oil 91-8; Wimco 355; Burma Corp. 3; BIC Ord. 6-5; Indian Copper 2-11; Indian Iron 35-15; Steel Corp. 27-8; New Vict. Ord. 9-15.

BULLION: Yesterday London Gold was unchanged at £8-8-0. Dollar sterling cross rate was 4.02-1/2 to 4.03-1/2 at London and 4.03-3/4 at New York. London Spot and Forward Silver quotations were unchanged at 23-1/2d and New York Spot Silver was quoted at 44-3/4 cents. The end of the settlement is drawing near in the local market. So forward and ready quotations show very small difference. The market was steady. Ready Silver Rs. 124-12, Jeth Rs. 124-10. Ready Gold Rs. 83 and Jeth Rs. 82-10.

Later on the market was very steady. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 126-12 and Jeth at Rs. 126-4 next settlement was done at Rs. 124-12. Ready Gold Rs. 83, Jeth Rs. 82-12 and next settlement was quoted at Rs. 82.

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, June 22.

T. S. Dfd. (2075) 2067/8 77/8 72/8 80 75 82/8 72/8.

T S. Ord. (417/8) 416 17 16 19/8 17/8 19 17 17/8.

B. Dyeing (2030) 2020 12/8 30 22/8 40 35 47/8 37 42 50 45 35 37 35.

Century (851) 845 47 43 52 60 58 61 52.

Kohinoor (857) 858 53 56 50 60 57 60 58 63 58 64 57.

Nagpur (462) 459 57 60 57 61 59 62 60 56.

Swadeshi (571) 568 66 68 65 68 70 68 71 67.

Simplex (329) 327 25 29 27 29 27 26/8.

New Great (445) 442 38 40 43 41 40.

Gokak (352/8) 351 48 51 49 51 52 50 51.

Cement (232) 232/8 34/8 33/8 34/4.

CHEQUES CLEARED

Cheques delivered through the Bombay Bankers Clearing House during the week ending 18-6-1943 were as under:—

Number of cheques 1,22,401

Amount of cheques ..29,39,35,653-4-11

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, June 21.

T. T. London on:—

New York sellers 4.92-1/2, buyers 4.93-1/2, Madrid official 40.5, Montreal sellers 4.43, buyers 4.47, Zurich sellers 17.3, buyers 17.4, Stockholm sellers 16.85, buyers 16.95.

CONTROL DOES IT

Crisis In Ahmedabad Cloth Market

(From Our Correspondent)

AHMEDABAD, June 22.

Control has affected the cloth market seriously and a crisis has arisen.

Prices have been down by 20 to 25 per cent. Cloth merchants are perturbed. Sale has decreased because foreign demand has lessened and there is no convenience for export. Also mills are selling stock at low prices. Many merchants have gone to Bombay and elsewhere to dispose of their stock.

Maskati market representatives and leading merchants have been invited to attend Bombay Conference on July 3 and 4 called by Bombay merchants.

An extraordinary meeting of the Millowners' Association was held yesterday to discuss the situation.

MR. HYDARI TO INAUGURATE TEXTILE CONTROL BOARD

NEW DELHI: Mr. M. S. A. Hydari Secretary, Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, who returned from Simla on Monday morning, is leaving for Bombay on June 26, to inaugurate the Textile Control Board. The Board will consist of 25 members, with non-official as its chairman.

TEXTILE COMMISSIONER

The appointment is also announced of Mr. M. K. Vellodi as Textile Commissioner, Bombay, and Mr. D. M. Passmoe as Additional Textile Commissioner.—A. P.

RATIONING IN SUBURBAN DT.

The Government of Bombay has fixed June 26 as the last date for the registration of ration cards and ration permits issued in Bombay Suburban District Municipal limits and Chembur Village. Holders of such ration cards and permits who have not yet registered with an authorised retail distributor should do so immediately.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Bombay, June 22.

On Monday the New York cotton was featureless with routine business. There was some trade price fixing and hedge selling. Operators were awaiting July tenders. July delivery opened unchanged at 19.87 and after narrow fluctuations the market closed unchanged to 3 points down. Spot cotton prices were reduced 3 points at 20.71c per lb. The New Orleans market was quiet and closed at a decline of 1 to 3 points with Spot cotton unchanged at 20.80c per lb.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 21.

July 20.24, October 19.87, December 19.64—03. Middling Spot 21.71—05.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, June 21.

July 20.53—02, October 20.13—01, December 19.92—03, Middling Spot 20.80.

NEW YORK COTTON: NOON CALL

July 20.22, October 19.84, December 19.63.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

Bombay, June 22.

A press "communique" issued by the Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Bombay, states:

Tenders for Rs. Eight Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday June 22. Total amount offered was Rs. 11,11,00,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-12-0 were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-11-9 allotted approximately 72 per cent. Total amount accepted was Rs. Eight Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Re. 1-1-0 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Eight Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday June 29, in Bombay up to 11 a.m. (S. T.), and up to the close of business on Monday June 28 at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday July 2. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 18th June 1943, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 6,83,50,000—were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

Three months' Intermediates will be sold from June 23 to June 28 at Rs. 99-12-0 subject to the conditions previously announced ("viz", Sales can be stopped at any time without previous notice if Government think it necessary.)

Three months' intermediates sold from 16th June 1943 to 21st June, 1943 amounted to Rs. 4,11,50,000.

ORIENTAL GOVT. SECURITY LIFE CO., LTD.

At a meeting of the policyholders of the Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Co. Ltd. Bombay, on Monday, Mr. Pasabhai Patel, Mr. Ratilal M. Gandhi and Rao Saheb Kantilal Ishvarlal were re-elected. The meeting was presided over by Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas.

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The Half-Column "By Dim"

I am very pleased to see that what appeared in the Half Column regarding the Lipton advertisements is being taken very serious notice of both by Liptons and their advertising agents, who assure us that the impression created by the campaign was far removed from their minds. It is very nice to see Liptons willing to see the Indian point of view.

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A "Spend Less" Campaign is being planned. Also a "Savings" Campaign. All that is very well, but the First Directive issued to the National War Front by P. J. Griffiths is worth extracting from.

"In the early stages of the War, the main object of Defence Loans propaganda was to obtain money for war purposes and so to lighten the burden upon the revenues of Government. During this stage it was not in most provinces considered desirable to associate the National War Front too closely with the Defence Loans Movement, for an important plank in our platform was—"We want your service, not your money". During the last year, however, the monetary situation in India has undergone a marked change and ..... the National War Front, AS GUARDIAN OF THE PUBLIC MORALE, cannot afford to ignore it...." (The caps are mine.)

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Then read this and remember this is a directive written on behalf of P. J. Griffiths, I.C.S., M.L.A.:"..... (ii) .... The professional and higher—salaried classes including individual businessmen—I do not think there is any room for doubt that those classes can spend less. PERSONALLY, I BOUGHT A BOTTLE OF WHISKY YESTERDAY—I COULD HAVE DONE WITHOUT IT;....." (The caps are mine). And this, my dear friends, is the sort of contents of the BRILLIANT directive that emanates from P. J. Griffith's cool Simla office presumably to men like Sir R. P. Masani. 75 lacs of good Indian money are spent by this BRILLIANT (pardon the repetition) department. Think for yourself and act together!!

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VICTORY FOR WILLKIE

U. S. Supreme Court Sets Aside Deportation Order On Communist

WASHINGTON, June 21.

Mr. Wendell Willkie won an important decision from the Supreme Court today when, by a majority decision of five to three, it overruled the order for deportation of a member of the Communist Party, Mr. William Schneiderman.

Mr. Schneiderman, who is now aged 38, came to the United States from Russia at the age of three and was naturalised in 1927.

The lower court had cancelled Mr. Schneiderman's United States citizenship on the ground that communists are not entitled to naturalisation.

Justice Murphy announcing the Supreme Court decision quoted Lenin, Stalin and the Communist Party constitution to show that the Communists did not preach violence against the United States.

'Mr. Schneiderman can be both a Communist and a good American citizen at the same time," he said. Chief Justice Charles Stone was among the dissentients.

Mr. Wilkie appeared for Mr. Schneiderman without fee in the interests of justice.—

70,000 JAP CITIZENS RENDERED HOMELESS

The Supreme Court has rejected an appeal by two American born Japanese challenging military regulations imposing the curfew along the west coast on all persons of Japanese ancestry and excluding them from specified areas. About 70,000 persons have been removed from their homes under these oruers.

ALL-INDIA VILLAGE INDUSTRIES ASSOCIATION: Since Shri J. C. Kumarappa the publisher and Shri G. B. Joshi, printer of the "Gram Udyog Patrika" have published an article under caption "Stone for bread" in the issue of December 1942 it has not been possible to continue the publication of the Patrika after the March 1943 issue. The unused portion of the subscriptions will be carried to the credit of the subscribers when the publication is resumed or if so desired in writing addressed to the Secretary, A. I. V. I. A., such balances will be returned.

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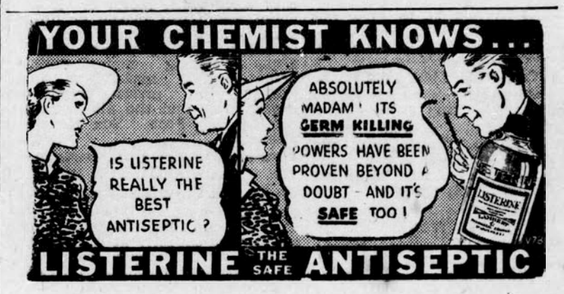
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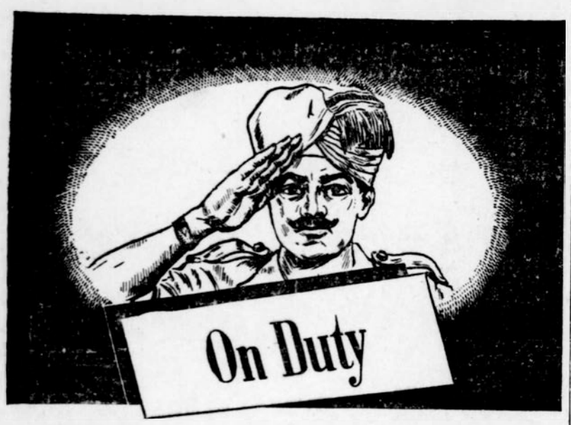

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42. SITUATIONS VACANT

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Wanted Solicitor Assistant in Attorneys office. Apply stating qualifications Box No. 1921, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted Teachers, strong in Gujarati and Sanskrit; those knowing Pali. Unity High School, 10th Khetwadi Back Road. (1913)

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Wanted an experienced Chemical Engineer for preparing drawings and erecting power alcohol and medium chemical plants. Apply stating experience and other particulars to Box No. 1905, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted an experienced Chemist, having practical experience, specially in Power Alcohol and also in medium chemicals. Apply with full particulars, past experience and salary expected to Box No. 1904 "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted by Prantij Municipality (Ahmedabad District) a smart and experienced M.B.B.S. or L.C.P.S. Doctor for its well established Dispensary and Maternity Home. Apply with the copies of testimonials and pay expected to the President, Prantij Municipality. (1903)

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Wanted an experienced Radio Engineer to handle Philips Sets. State qualifications and salary expected with copies of testimonials to work at Madras to Post Box No. 378, Mount Road, Madras. (5058)

65. ACCOMMODATION WANTED

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69. FLATS WANTED

Wanted by Respectable Hindu family a Flat of 3|4 rooms in Bombay or Suburbs. Reasonable rent. Please communicate Post Box 1043 Bombay. (1906)

87. SHOPS WANTED

Wanted Shop at Colaba Causeway Hornby Road, or Churchgate Street with or without fitting-furniture. Willing to pay handsome goodwill. Write Boolchand Chandiram, 413G. Vasant Vadi, Kalbadevi. (1892)

141. EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

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P. N. JOSHI,
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(5082)

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141. EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

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Wanted immediately one Elmo Vacuum Pump direct coupled to A.C. three-phase motor or a Vacuum Pump belt driven or direct coupled to steam engine with 300 to 500 cft. capacity per minute. Reply stating manufacturer's name, year of make, how long worked, the present condition, lowest price and the place of inspection to Post Box No. 249. Bombay. (1836)

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327. AGENTS WANTED

Wanted Canvassing Agent for Bombay Presidency for embroidery Silk Thread. Apply Box. No. 1895 "Bombay Chronicle."

653. MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

Wanted large quantity of Chromo paper. Apply Famous Cine Litho Works, 40B, Clerk Road, Jacob Circle, Bombay. (1888)

652 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

A large stock of blue-black fountain pen ink filled in inkstands of 1 to 4 ozs. for sale. Brokers to please keep off. For detailed particulars only genuine buyers may inquire of Box No. 1911, "Bombay Chronicle."

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PUBLIC NOTICES

THE INDIAN RADIO & CABLE COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the NINETEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of The Indian Radio and Cable Communications Company, Limited will be held at the Registered office of the Company, Radio House, Apollo Bunder, Bombay on TUESDAY, the 20th July, 1943, at 4-30 p. m. (S.T.) for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1942.
2. To approve of the Directors recommendation to carry an amount to Reserve Fund.
3. To approve of the Directors' recommendation to carry an amount to Dividend Equalisation Fund.
4. To sanction the declaration of a Dividend.
5. To ratify and confirm the Directors' action in paying the Dividend for the year 1941 to those Shareholders who acquired "B" Shares by consolidation of Fractional Certificates subsequent to the closing of the Transfer Books of the Company on the 10th August, 1942.
6. To elect a Director in place of Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas who retires by rotation but is eligible for re-election.
7. To appoint Auditors for the current year and fix their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st July, 1943 to the 24th July, 1943, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

For F. M. CHINOY & CO., LTD.,
R. M. CHINOY,
Director,
Secretaries & Treasurers

Bombay, 22nd June, 1943.

NOTE:—The Dividend, when sanctioned will be made payable at the registered office of the Company on and after the 26th July, 1943 to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Register of the Company on the 1st July, 1943 to whom Dividend Warrants will be posted. (5094)

GOVERNMENT OF BARODA.

SEALED PERCENTAGE RATE TENDERS for loading and unloading work of approximately Rs. 25,000|- in Port Yard and on jetties for one year commencing from 1-8-1943 will be received by the undersigned upto 4-0 p. m. on 5-7-1943. Earnest money in cash Rs. 500|- must accompany the tender. Tender copies can be had on payment of Rs. 6|- each. Undersigned reserves the right of accepting or rejecting any tender without assigning any reason.

B. M. DESAI,
Port Officer, Okha.

Okha, (Kathiawar).
Dated 18th June, 1943.
(5093)

NOTICE

WANTED A TECHNICAL ASSISTANT for the Research Directorate, New India Planning Group. Salary Rs. 150|- p.m. Qualifications—M.A. or B.A. (Hons) in Economics with research experience. Applications with copies of testimonials (which will not be returned) should reach the Assistant Director, New India Planning Group, Railway Board Building, Simla, not later than the 10th July, 1943. (5077)

THE TATA IRON & STEEL CO. LTD.

INVITES APPLICATIONS to fill up posts in their Maintenance Department at Jamshedpur:

(A) ONE FOREMAN FOR THE BLACKSMITH SHOP

Candidates should have experience in light and heavy forgings, working steam and pneumatic hammers and steam and hydraulic presses with capacity from 500 to 2000 tons; capable of producing forgings on mass production scale by stamping and drop stamping process. He should have sound knowledge in design of dies and punches and be conversant with estimating, planning and processing. Preference will be given to one having previous experience in Blacksmith Shop in large engineering firms with general knowledge of Shop accounting projects and budgets, and administrative ability. Pay according to qualifications.

(B) ONE MECHANICAL FOREMAN.

Candidates should be capable of carrying out repairs, maintenance and reconditioning of machine tools like vertical boring mill, axle lathe, cold saw etc; should have experience and ability to install machines and rectify defects in them to increase efficiency and obtain maximum production. He should be able to design and make tools, gauges, jigs fixtures and steadies to facilitate the working of machines. Preference will be given to a candidate with Railway Workshop experience. Pay according to ability and experience.

Applications stating age, qualifications and with copies of testimonials are to be sent to the General Manager. The Tata Iron & Steel Co., Ltd., Jamshedpur, B. N. Railway, before the 15th July, 1943, in covers superscribed "Blacksmith Shop Foreman" or "Mechanical Foreman" as the case may be. (5081)

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

THE BOMBAY HINDU CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETY LTD. invites offers for the purchase of their immovable properties situate at Hindu Colony, Dadar, Bombay. The offers accompanied with a cheque for Rs. 5,000|- as deposit should be in closed covers marked "OFFER FOR PURCHASE OF THE SOCIETY'S BUILDINGS" and delivered to Messrs. Samant and Co Attorneys for the said Society on or before 1 P.M. (S.T.) on MONDAY, the 30th day of August 1943, at their Office at 381, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay. Also for further particulars and conditions of sale please apply at their office

Dated this 21st day of June, 1943.

(Sd.) P. H. DESAI,
Hon. Secretary, Bombay Hindu Co-operative Housing Society Ltd. (5089)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from male Muslim candidates to fill a post of District Fishery Officer under the Director of Fisheries, Bengal. Pay—125-250. Age—below 40. Qualifications—a first or second class M.Sc. degree in Zoology or a B.Sc. degree with Honours in Zoology. Preference will be given to one possessing research degrees for work on fish and fisheries or having practical experience of fisheries work, more particularly of inland fisheries. Full details may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling, personally or ON SENDING AN ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH A NINE PIES STAMP. Last date for receipt of applications on prescribed form, together with treasury receipt for Rs. 5, 17th July 1943. (5090)

THE INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of The Indian Stock Exchange, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Exchange at Lakshmi Building (First Floor), Sir Pherozeshah Mehta Road, Fort, Bombay, on THURSDAY, the 8th July, 1943, at 3-15 P.M. (S. T.) to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the audited Balance Sheet and the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December 1942.
2. To elect Directors in place of those who retire, but are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.
3. To appoint Auditors for the year 1943 and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
R. RAMASWAMI,
Secretary.

Bombay, 14th June, 1943.
5083

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Summary Suit No. 176 of 1943.

Messrs. H. M. MEHTA AND SONS, a firm, registered under the Indian Partnership Act IX of 1932, carrying on business at Mehta House, 79-91, Apollo Street within the Fort of Bombay..Plaintiffs.

Vs.

D. A. MARATHE, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, carrying on business under the name and style of Messrs. H. Fillunager and Co., a firm at c|o National Compressed Charcoal Works, Bhoiwada, Parel, without the Fort of Bombay. ..... Defendant

WHEREAS the abovenamed Plaintiffs have instituted a suit in this Court against you the abovenamed Defendant under rule 2 of Order XXXVII of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, for recovery of the sum of Rupees 5,590|- being the price of goods supplied in terms of the contract mentioned in the plaint herein with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from 19th March, 1942, till Judgment, costs of the suit and interest on Judgment at 6 per cent per annum till payment. You are hereby summoned to cause an appearance to be entered for you within ten days from the service hereof, in default whereof the Plaintiffs will be entitled at any time after the expiration of such ten days to obtain a decree for any sum not exceeding the sum of Rs. 5,590|- and interest as aforesaid, and costs, together with such interest, if any, as the Court may order.

If you cause an appearance to be entered for you, the Plaintiff will thereafter serve upon you a Summons for Judgment at the hearing of which you will be entitled to ask the Court for leave to defend the suit.

Witness Sir JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, KNIGHT, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this 9th day of February, 1943.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.)
K. K. DASTUR,
For Prothonotary & Senior Master.

(Sd.)
K. K. DASTUR,

The 9th day of February, 1943.
Messrs. AMARCHAND & MANGALDAS,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
(5092)

PUBLIC NOTICES

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of Reader in Dyestuff Technology in the Department of Chemical Technology in the scale of Rs. 400-30-550. The post has still to receive the sanction of the Senate.

Six typewritten copies of the application made on the prescribed form, together with six copies of certificates, should be forwarded so as to reach the Registrar, University of Bombay, on or before the 15th September, 1943. Forms of application can be had from the Registrar.

The appointment, which will be on probation for two years in the first instance, is non-pensionable, but the Reader will be required to subscribe to the University Provident Fund.

The reader, who will be in charge of the Dyestuff section under the direction of the Head of the Department, and will be required to conduct teaching and research on the technology of dyes should possess a degree in Chemical Technology or Chemical Engineering and have adequate knowledge and experience of work practice in the manufacture of intermediates and dyes.

S. R. DONGERKERY,
Registrar.
University of Bombay.
14th June, 1943.
(5088)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mrs. SAROJ KUMARI, wife of BIRENDRA KUMAR BOSE, has contracted to sell to me the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lien or otherwise howsoever is or are requested to make the same known in writing to me at Baramati (Dist. Poona) within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

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Dated this 19th day of June, 1943.

D. G. SHEMBEKAR.
(5091)

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